

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant : George C. Crane
Application No. : 09/736,070 Confirmation No. : 7720
Filed : December 13, 2000
For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
ASSESSING MARKET CONDITIONS
Art Unit : 3691
Examiner : Daniel Kesack

New York, New York 10036
May 1, 2008

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

RESUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS IN
REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In reply to the Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment
(37 C.F.R. § 1.121) dated April 24, 2008, advising that the
"amendment document" filed March 25, 2008* could not be
entered because each drawing was not properly identified as a

* On that day, applicant filed a Reply to Office Action and a separate Submission of Formal Drawings. It is not clear whether only the Submission of Formal Drawings has been refused entry, or also the Reply to Office Action. However, because the Office Action being replied to was not final, only the "section" that was noncompliant needs to be submitted. Accordingly, applicant understands the filing of this Resubmission of Formal Drawings is all that is required to obtain consideration of all documents filed on March 25, 2008.

"Replacement Sheet," and requiring submission of a "corrected section" of the "amendment document," applicant herewith resubmits six (6) sheets of formal drawings in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.84 and 1.121(d). Pursuant to MPEP § 1121, applicant respectfully requests that these replacement drawings be used for any future publication of this application or any patent issued thereon.

Applicant notes that these drawings were previously submitted on June 4, 2001 but are not in the electronic file of this application, although the transmittal with which they were filed is in the Image File Wrapper as the last page of the "Miscellaneous Incoming Letter" of June 4, 2001.

An early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

/Jeffrey H. Ingerman/

Jeffrey H. Ingerman
Reg. No. 31,069
Attorney for Applicants
ROPES & GRAY LLP
Customer No. 1473
1211 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10036-8704
Tel.: (212) 596-9000